## Axecutive Proclamation State of South Dakota

Office Of The Governor

WHEREAS, J. D. Lesher has spent his adult life contributing to the economic well-being of the people of the State of South Dakota, enhacing the quality of life in this state and nation; and,

WHEREAS, As J. D. Lesher marks his entry into the fourth quarter century of his life, he remains an active force in the economic community of our State; and,

WHEREAS, In addition to his years of working in the banking industry, J. D. Lesher has also taken an extremely active role in the politics of his government, being known in some areas of this State as "Mr. GOP"; and,

WHEREAS, J. D. Lesher, and many citizens like him, are the very reason South Dakota is the great State she is; and,

WHEREAS, On September 17, 1981, on the occasion of his 75th Birthaay, J. D. Lesher will be honored with an Open House at the Citizen's Bank in Mobridge; and,

WHEREAS, It is altogether fitting and proper for the Governor to make public note of this honor being bestowed upon one of South Dakota's finest citizens:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, WILLIAM J. JANKLOW, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim September 17, 1981, as

J. D. LESHER DAY

In South Dakota, and I join J. D.'s many friends and relatives in wishing him many more years of health and happiness.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Sixteenth Day of September, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Eighty-One

VILLIAM J. JANKLOW, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

ALICE KUNDERT, SECRETARY OF STATE